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Attachment to Z-15701/83 NPIC/PEG (11/83)

UNUSUAL SECURITY CHAH BAHAR AB AIRFIELD, IRAN

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- 1. SIGNIFICANCE: UNUSUAL SECURITY MEASURES ARE OBSERVED HERE.
- 2. REMARKS: AN INCREASE IN SECURITY, PROBABLY RELATED TO THE PRESENCE OF TWO TRANSPORT AIRCRAFT, IS OBSERVED AT THIS AIRFIELD. ONE CAMOUFLAGE-PAINTED C-130 AND ONE BOEING 707 HAVE ARRIVED ON THE MAIN TERMINAL PARKING APRON

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THE MAIN GATE IS CLOSED AND A SECURITY CHECKPOINT HAS BEEN PLACED JUST INSIDE THE FRONT ENTRANCE. VEHICLES ENTERING THE TERMINAL AREA ARE APPARENTLY BEING TWO ADDITIONAL SIDE GATE ENTRANCES HAVE ALSO BEEN TWO SECURITY VEHICLES ARE IN FRONT OF THE TERMINAL CLOSED. BUILDING IN AN AREA NOT NORMALLY ASSOCIATED WITH VEHICLE ADDITIONAL VEHICLES INSIDE THE TERMINAL FACILITY PARKING. INCLUDE FOUR BUSES IN THE PARKING LOT AND SEVERAL CARS AND TRUCKS IN FRONT OF THE TERMINAL BUILDING. FOR THE PAST SEVERAL MONTHS, FEW VEHICLES AND VIRTUALLY NO ACTIVITY HAVE BEEN OBSERVED IN THIS AREA. NO ACTIVITY IS OBSERVED NEAR THE C-130; HOWEVER, SUPPORT VEHICLES NORMALLY ASSOCIATED WITH PASSENGER AIRCRAFT ARE NEAR THE BOEING 707. ACTIVITY APPEARS TO BE NORMAL THROUGHOUT THE REMAINING AREAS OF THE AIRFIELD. UH-1 UTILITY HELICOPTER IS ALSO PRESENT.

CHAH BAHAR AB AIRFIELD IS NEAR THE GULF OF OMAN IN SOUTHEAST IRAN, 13 NM NORTHWEST OF CHAH BAHAR AND 52 NM WEST OF THE IRAN-PAKISTAN BORDER. (SWN)

3. COORDINATES 25-26-17N 060-23-15E

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